

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

In Re: AUTOMOTIVE PARTS
ANTITRUST LITIGATION

Master File No. 12-md-02311
Honorable Marianne O. Battani

In Re: All Auto Parts Cases

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**NOTICE OF CERTAIN DEFENDANTS' OBJECTIONS TO END PAYOR PLAINTIFF
AND AUTO DEALER PLAINTIFF DEPOSITION PROTOCOL ORDER**

Certain Defendants¹ hereby give notice that they object to Paragraphs III.B, III.D.1, III.D.3, III.D.7, and IV.B of the End Payor Plaintiff and Auto Dealer Plaintiff Deposition Protocol Order (MDL ECF No. 1021), for the reasons stated in Certain Defendants' Objections

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to, and Motion to Modify, Master Esshaki's June 18, 2015 Order ("June 18 Order"), filed on the master docket on June 19, 2015 (MDL ECF No. 1009) ("Motion to Modify") and the corresponding Reply brief (MDL ECF No. 1026), filed on the master docket on July 6, 2015. A hearing has been set for September 9, 2015 to resolve Certain Defendants' motion. *See* Scheduling Order on Objection to And Motions to Modify Master Esshaki's June [18], 2015 Order (MDL ECF. No. 1022).

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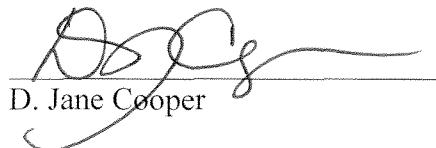
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